

## RESOLUTION

## BY PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

03- / -1323

AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HER DESIGNEE TO ACCEPT ON BEHALF OF THE ATLANTA FIRE DEPARTMENT THE DONATION OF TWO (2) GMC RESCUE TRUCKS (1-1994 1-1995) FROM THE ATLANTA FULTON COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY FOR THE PURPOSE OF ADDING TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENT'S ABILITY TO HANDLE HOMELAND SECURITY AND WEAPON OF MASS DESTRUCTION INCIDENTS

WHAREAS, the City of Atlanta Fire Department is responsible for providing enhanced protection to the citizens of Atlanta regarding Homeland Security weapons of mass destruction and hazardous material incident response; and

WHEREAS, The Atlanta Fire Department has assumed the responsibility of providing the citizens of Atlanta the capability of a Hazardous Material Team that is also charged with the responsibility of decontamination of citizens and team members when a weapons of mass destruction or hazardous material incident occurs; and

WHEREAS, these trucks will be used to transport decontamination equipment to the scene of a chemical, biological, or nuclear attack or accident; and

WHEREAS, the Atlanta Fulton County Emergency Management Agency has agreed to donate the vehicles to support the efforts of Homeland Security, Weapons of Mass Destruction and Hazardous Materials response; and

WHEREAS, these donations/additions to the Atlanta Fire Department apparatus fleet will allow the fire department to deliver the necessary life saving equipment and services to the citizens of Atlanta, in a prompt manner.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA AS FOLLOWS:

**SECTION 1:** The Mayor or her designee allow the Atlanta Fire Department to accept the two (2) GMC Rescue Truck (1-1994 and 1-1995) from the Atlanta Fulton County Emergency Management Agency for the continued delivery of life saving services.

**SECTION 2:** That all resolutions and parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

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